

# Alexandria Gazette

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 3.

**LIGHTING A MATCH.**—The match box, the wall and the carpet are the three substances upon which the average woman will consent to light a match; and it should be noticed, as a curious and yet unexplained fact, that no woman in any circumstances, dreams of lighting matches on the under side of a marble mantel piece. Man, on the other hand, regards the mantel piece as the natural complement of the match, and if he happens to be near one when about to light a match, uniformly scratches on the under side of the marble. Some men prefer to light matches on the sole of their boots, except, of course, when the sole of their boots is damp. The vast majority of male human beings, whether men, boys or advocates of female dress reform, light their matches on their trousers.

A number of American women sent to Worth, the Parisian Modiste, asking him, "What costumes can be devised that will be perfectly healthy, and, at the same time, beautiful?" He replied: "I have to make the same answer to you that I have made to the women of Europe. The costume of the Persian women is the handsomest on the face of the earth. It consists of a loose waist, short skirt, and trousers not too loose. I have made this costume beautifully, and hug it up in Paris, but the women will not wear it. I can do nothing more. They must suffer until they are willing to adopt it."

**FOR SALE OR RENT.**  
**FOR RENT—A SMALL COMFORTABLE DWELLING.** No. 205 Prince Street. For terms apply to CHAS. R. HOFFCE, Esq., Cashier First National Bank. Keys at the telegraph office of the Virginia Midland R. R. ap2-1f

**FOR RENT—THE DWELLING NO. 8 N. PATRICK STREET,** which has just been put in complete order. Apply to F. J. POLLARD, cor. King and Henry streets. mh 25-10m

**FOR RENT—THE TWO STORY BRICK DWELLING HOUSE NO. 125 Cameron street,** now occupied by E. E. White. Possession given Feb. 1st, 1878. Apply to C. C. SMOOT & SON. mh 25-10m

**FOR RENT—THE STORE ROOM on the northeast corner of King and Union street—**the best location in the city for a grocery and liquor store. Apply at this office. an 18-1f

**FISH, OYSTERS, &c.**  
**FISH!**  
We have this day formed a copartnership, under the firm name of  
**GEO. E. PRICE & CO.,**  
Dealers in  
**FRESH AND SALT FISH.**  
Fish received daily from the fishing shores on the Potomac, and supplied to customers in quantities to suit, either fresh or salted by experienced packers.

Stalls Nos. 2 and 3, City Market, and Fish House No. 1, Corporation Fish Wharf. Country orders solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.  
**G. E. PRICE,**  
**J. F. COOK,**  
**G. A. NOWLAND,**  
**WM. JAVINS.**  
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**WILLIAM H. SMITH,**  
DEALER IN  
**FRESH AND SALT FISH.**  
**FISH WHARF AND STALLS CITY MARKET.**

would inform dealers and others that he is prepared to furnish, at the lowest prices, all kinds of **POTOMAC FISH.** at the lowest possible prices. I would call the attention of buyers to the fact that my brand stands No. 1 in market at all times and I intend to sustain my reputation in this respect. My stalls, Nos. 4 and 5, Fish Market, will be supplied with fresh fish every morning. They will be superintended by Mr. James G. Grimes, sr., and families can depend on getting the best, whether they come in person or send orders. Persons at a distance wanting fresh fish can depend on getting them in good order. All orders addressed to **WM. H. SMITH,** Alexandria, Va., will receive prompt attention. mar 1

**CROQUET FOR THE MILLION.**

The best assortment, all styles, from the cheapest to the finest London Club Sets, just received and for sale at  
**FRENCH'S, NO. 95 KING ST.**  
Our Dollar Set of Croquet is the best in the State; 8 balls, 8 mallets, wickets, wood box, hinged lid and clasp.  
Excellent Croquet, London Club mallets, full sets, all qualities and prices.  
Indestructible Croquet, with patent rubber face mallets.

"Vexillo," or the Improved Method of Playing Croquet. Simple, easily understood, much more pleasing and exciting than the regular game. Everybody is charmed with it. All styles and prices on hand.

The best thing in Paper and Envelopes in the market is our ten cent box of 24 sheets of Paper, 24 Envelopes, Box, Alphabet Card—all for 10 cents.

Have a full stock of all the finer qualities of Paper and Envelopes, in very handsome boxes. Base Balls, best Regulation Dead Ball, \$1 each.

Harper's Half Hour Series, a full stock.

A large assortment of the Seaside, Lakeside and other Libraries.  
New Books daily.  
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**G. E. FRENCH.**

**PAINT YOUR BUILDINGS.**

**THE NEW YORK ENAMEL PAINT**

will not only beautify your building, but preserve them.

It is made of Pure Lead, Zinc and Linseed Oil, and is prepared ready for use. A fair trial will satisfy you as to quality. One gallon will cover

twenty square yards—two coats. Sample cards of shades of color, with price list, sent free on application. Our white, as well as colors, have no superior for outside or inside work. Best of references given. Address

**JANNEY & CO.,** Wholesale Agents,  
mh 8-d&wt2m Alexandria, Virginia.

**FISH—Medium and large Codfish, Boneless and Shredded Codfish, No. 1, 2 and 3 Mackerel, Large Split Herring, No. 1 Family and selected Rock Potomac Herring and Potomac Shad, for sale at**

**F. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.**

**5 CHESTS FINE CLOTHING, JAPAN, IMPERIAL, HENRI OROP and GUN-POWDER TEAS** received this day, which we guarantee equal to any on the market, and as low as the lowest in price.

**R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.**

**KELLEN'S ROMAN LINIMENT** recently so extensively advertised, also **LEADBEATER'S LUBRICATING LINIMENT** equal and perhaps superior to the first, are for sale by

**F. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.**

**OLD BROWN JAVA—15 mats VERY OLD GOVERNMENT JAVA** just received from New York Steamer. This is the oldest and finest Java we have seen for a long time; special inducements offered in price.

**GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.**

**CARRIAGES! CARRIAGES!**

Just received a full line of Baby Carriages at very low prices; also a full line of SPRING GOODS at

**FERGUSON & BROS.**

**CLIK FRINGS**—Another supply of Color and Silk Fringes—received, which we are offering at very low prices.

**JAS. FERGUSON & BRO.**

## RAILROADS.

**W. J. VIRG. MIDLAND & G. S. K. K. JOHN S. BARBOUR, Receiver.**  
On and after Sunday, March 3, 1878, Passenger Trains will run as follows:

South Bound.	Express Daily.	Express Daily.	Mail daily except Sunday.
Washington...le	2:55 a.m.	9:30 p.m.	8:25 a.m.
Chesapeake...le	3:25 " "	10:00 " "	9:00 " "
Gordonsville...le	7:03 " "	1:17 a.m.	12:55 p.m.
Charlottesville...le	8:00 " "	2:08 " "	2:10 " "
Lynchburg...ar	10:45 " "	4:32 " "	4:15 " "
Danville...ar	2:31 p.m.	6:57 " "	
Dundee...ar	2:35 " "	7:00 " "	

North Bound.	Express.	Express.	Mail daily except Sunday.
Dundee...le	1:00 p.m.	10:30 p.m.	
Danville...le	1:05 " "	1:05 a.m.	12:20 a.m.
Lynchburg...le	1:17 " "	3:32 " "	12:20 p.m.
Gordonsville...le	8:22 " "	4:25 " "	1:40 " "
Charlottesville...le	8:22 " "	4:25 " "	1:40 " "
Alexandria...ar	12:15 a.m.	7:40 " "	4:35 " "
Washington...ar	12:45 " "	8:10 " "	6:05 " "

THE MAIL SOUTH BOUND connects at LYNCHBURG for the WEST and Southwest, and at Gordonsville, with Ches. & Ohio R. R. for Richmond and West.

The Evening Express Southward connects at Gordonsville with Ches. & Ohio West, and at Danville with R. & D. for the Carolinas, Georgia, Florida and all the South West. Through sleeper to Savannah, Ga.

The Morning Express south bound, with through sleeper for New Orleans, connects at Lynchburg for the West and South West, and at Danville for South, South East and South West.

For WARRENTON leave Washington 8:25 a. m. and Alexandria 9:00 a. m., daily, except Sunday.

Passengers for MANASSAS LINE leave Washington 8:25 a. m. and Alexandria 9:00 a. m., daily, except Sunday. Returning, leave Strasburg 5:00 a. m., and arrive at Alexandria at 2:15 p. m.

North bound trains make close connections with Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York, and at all points North and North West.

The Ev'g. Exp. train has sleeping car through without change between Washington and New York, and between Washington and New Orleans.

Through tickets to the South and West, Feb 18

**J. M. BRADY, G. T. A.**

**1878 GREAT 1878**

**PENNSYLVANIA ROUTE**

**TO THE NORTH, WEST & SOUTHWEST**

**STEEL RAILS, SPINDLE, SIKENRY**

**MAGNIFICENT EQUIPMENT.**

November 12, 1877.

Trains leave Washington, from depot of BALTIMORE & POTOMAC RAILROAD, corner of Sixth and B streets, as follows:

For Philadelphia, New York and the East, 9:30 a. m., daily, with Pullman Parlor Cars. Limited Express of Pullman Parlor Cars, 12:15 p. m., daily, except Sunday. For Philadelphia, New York and the West 1:30 p. m., daily, except Sunday. For Philadelphia 5:25 p. m., daily.

For Pittsburgh and the West 10:10 a. m., daily, with Parlor Cars to Pittsburgh, 7:40 p. m., daily.

For Canandaigua and the North, 7:40 p. m., daily, except Saturday, with Pullman Car to Watkins. For Watkins, 10:10 a. m., daily, except Sunday.

**LOCAL TRAINS.**

For Alexandria 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 10 and 11 a. m., and 1, 3, 4, 20, 5, 6, 00 and 7 p. m. On Sunday 9:10 a. m., and 1 and 7 p. m.

Trains leave Alexandria for Washington, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 10 and 11 a. m., 1, 3, 4, 20, 5, 6 and 7 p. m.

On Sunday at 8:10 and 10 a. m., and 6 p. m.

THROUGH TRAIN FOR THE SOUTH, via Quantico and Richmond, will leave Alexandria at 8:10 a. m., daily, and 6:35 p. m., daily, except Sunday.

Tickets and information can be procured at principal railroad stations and ticket offices.

**L. P. FARMER,**

Gen'l. Passenger Agent.

**FRANK THOMSON,**

General Manager. nov 13

**WASHINGTON & OHIO RAILROAD.**

**WINTER ARRANGEMENT.**

Beginning Oct. 19, 1877.

The MAIL TRAIN will leave Washington

at 9:10 a. m., and Alexandria at 9:15 a. m., daily, except Sunday; pass Leesburg, going westward at 11:20 a. m., and arrive at Round Hill at 12 m. Leave Round Hill at 12:30 p. m.; pass Leesburg, going eastward, at 1:10 p. m., and arrive at Alexandria at 3:15 p. m., and at Washington at 3:30 p. m.

The ACCOMMODATION TRAIN will leave Washington at 4:20 p. m., and Alexandria at 4:25 p. m., daily, except Sunday, and arrive at Leesburg at 6:40 p. m. Leave Leesburg at 8:10 a. m., and arrive at Alexandria at 8:25 a. m., and at Washington at 8:35 a. m.

Passengers from Washington will take the Washington and Ohio cars at Baltimore and Potomac Railroad station at 10 a. m. and 4:20 p. m., and go through without change of cars.

The 9:15 a. m. train from Alexandria, will leave at 9:15 a. m. from Round Hill connect at Round Hill with Harris' Daily Line of Coaches for Snickersville, Berryville and Winchester; also with Roemer's Line of Coaches, which leave Leesburg daily for Aldie and Middleburg.

Both trains, westward, make close connections, at Vienna, with Sissont's Line of Stages for Fairfax Court House.

**Communication tickets, 3 cts. per mile**

**Annual tickets, \$60.**

**R. H. HAVENER,**

General Ticket Agent.

**JANNEY & CO.,** Nos. 79 and 145 King st.

Alexandria, Va. agents for ROCKY MOUNTAIN PAINT, mixed ready for use.

It is the best known paint in the world for iron, bridges, tin or iron roofs, out-buildings, fences, or will preserve old shingle and felt roofs for many years. This paint has a heavy body, dries in cool, dry, quiet, and will stand in any climate. One gallon will cover 300 square feet of tin, iron, or any smooth surface, and is the cheapest good mixed paint ever offered to the public. Put up in 1 and 2 gallon cans, all ready for immediate use. Price one dollar per gallon. No charge for cans.

**JANNEY & CO.,**

79 and 145 King street.

**GEORGE R. HILL & CO.,**

STEAM CRACKER & CAKE BAKERS

85 NORTH LEE STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

**NEW GOODS OPENING TO-DAY IN**

**GOOD VARIETY.**

Call and see them.

**D. F. BRASHEAR,**

No. 109 King street, Alexandria, Va.

**CHOICE ROLL VIRGINIA BUTTER** or

also by [mh 12] J. C. & E. MILBURN

## STEAMERS.

**SPECIAL NOTICE.**

On and after TUESDAY, February 25, the steamers of the Potomac Ferry Company will leave as follows:

Leave Alexandria 7:30, 8:50, 10:10 and 11:30 a. m., and 1:15, 2:40, 4, 5:20 and 6:30 p. m.  
Leave Washington 8:10, 9:30 and 10:50 a. m., and 12:15, 2, 3, 4, 4:40, and 5:55 p. m.

On Sunday first boat leaves Alexandria at 10:10 a. m. First boat leaves Washington at 9:30 a. m.

**GEO. R. PHILLIPS, Manager**  
S. GEDNEY, Gen'l Supt. feb 26 1f

**RESUMPTION OF ROUTE.**

On and after THURSDAY, February 14th, 1878, the steamer MATTANO, Captain Wm. H. Byles, will be run as follows:

Leave Alexandria EVERY TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, from King street wharf, at half past seven o'clock sharp, for the Potomac as far down as Nomini. Leave Nomini EVERY TUESDAY and FRIDAY MORNING, at 6 o'clock, for Washington, arriving early the same evening. Freight received daily.

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**J. BROADBENT & CO., Agents.**

**INLAND & SEABOARD COASTING CO.**

—of the—

**DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

This company offers unrivalled facilities for the transportation of freight and passengers, and will run their steamers regularly as follows:

**FOR NEW YORK.**

The Al Steamships E. C. KNIGHT and JOHN GIBSON leave the company's wharf Alexandria EVERY SATURDAY MORNING, and New York, from Pier 41 East River, EVERY SATURDAY at four o'clock p. m.

**FOR NORFOLK.**

The elegant, new and substantial iron steamer LADY OF THE LAKE, leaves the company's wharf, Washington, EVERY MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at three o'clock p. m., and Alexandria, at 7:30 a. m., returning, leaves Norfolk EVERY TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, at 3 o'clock p. m. This line connects at Norfolk with the ships of the Merchants' and Miners Transportation Company for Boston and Providence, and affords the cheapest and best route to those cities and their connections throughout New England. Fare to Norfolk \$4; round trip \$6. Tickets good until used.

**FOR THE POTOMAC RIVER LANDINGS.**

The new and commodious iron steamer JOHN W. THOMPSON, built especially for this route, leaves the company's wharf, Washington, EVERY MONDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, at 7 o'clock a. m., and Alexandria at 7:30 a. m.; returning, arrives EVERY WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY and SUNDAY, at 10 o'clock a. m.

My experience for many years in this business enables me to give satisfaction and sell low.

**JOHN P. CLARKE,**

No. 158 King street.

**MACHINISTS, &c.**

**Alexandria Iron & Brass Works**

**JAMIESON & COLLINS,**

Proprietors.

Corner of Royal and Wilkes streets.

We are prepared to manufacture Steam Engines, Shafting and all kinds of Machinery; also to furnish Iron and Brass Castings of the best quality and workmanship. Having an unusually large and varied assortment of Patterns, we can furnish Castings at reasonable prices and short notice.

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**W. S. MOORE.**

**MACHINIST AND BLACKSMITH**

No. 65 Union street, Alexandria, Va.

Where he is prepared to furnish all kinds of

**MACHINERY, WROUGHT and CAST IRON PIPES, &c.**

Repairing done with dispatch, and at prices that were charged previously to the war.

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**PHILIP PARK.**

**PRACTICAL PLUMBER.**

No. 12 South Fairfax street.

The oldest and best established Plumbing establishment in the city. All work done with dispatch, and in the most durable and workmanlike manner. Satisfaction guaranteed.

**JOBBING done at short notice, and by him self, or the most experienced workmen.** jan 2-

**TROMPER'S EXTRACT MALT, Extract**

Malt and Cod Liver Oil, Extract Malt, Iron and Quinine, Dissolved Iron, Condensed Milk, Cox's Gelatine and Wine of Iron, for sale by

**E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.**

No. 6 and 7 S. Fairfax st.

**PURE DRUGS and MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, PROPRIETARY MEDICINES, GARDEN SEEDS, SPICES, AGRICULTURAL**

**LET GOODS, &c., &c.**

Proprietors of Anodyne Pectoral, Lubricating Liniment, Essence Jamaica Ginger and Cough Syrup, and Agents for Ayer's Medicines, Avertin's Chemicals, &c.

Every effort will be made to maintain the high reputation of our old establishment.

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**SAMUEL R. JANNEY.**

**MARLOW H. JANNEY.**

**C. J. W. SUMMERS.**

**JANNEY & CO.**

DEALERS IN

**DRUGS, PAINTS, OILS, PERFUMERIES, ACIDS, SPICES, GARDEN SEEDS, PATENT MEDICINES AND WINDOW GLASS.**

No. 79 & 145 King street, Alexandria, Va.

Physicians' Prescriptions accurately compounded day or night at No. 79. Night bell at the King street door.

Orders and inquiries from the country promptly attended to at No. 145.

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**NOTICE**—Having purchased the stock and good will of the DRUG STORE formerly occupied by Mr. C. B. Grigg, at the northwest corner of King and Royal streets, we have the property re-fitted and renovated the same, and supplied it with a FIRST CLASS STOCK of everything pertaining to the DRUG BUSINESS, and propose to carry it on as a branch of our establishment at No. 145 King street. The branch store will be under the charge of Mr. J. W. SUMMERS, whom we have associated with us in business, and who will be prepared to compound Physicians' Prescriptions, or dispense medicines at any hour of the day or night. Night bell at the King street door.

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**JANNEY & CO.**

**WARFIELD & HALL,**

**DRUGGISTS**

COR. PRINCE & FAIRFAX STS.

Prescriptions a specialty. English, French, German and Domestic Toilet Soaps; Genuine Farina Cologne; Magnolia, Hedyosmia, Geranium and Florida Water; Genuine Lubin's Eucalypt; Sponges, Hair Brushes and Combs; best English Tooth Brushes; full assortment of Patent Medicines; Cox's Gelatine; Corn Starch; Sea Moss Farine; Spices of all kinds, and a select stock of all articles sold by druggists at prices as low as the same quality can be obtained elsewhere.

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**W. FRANKLIN OREIGHTON**

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

**DRUGS, PAINTS, OILS, DYE STUFFS, GARDEN SEED, &c., &c., &c.**

No. 55 King street, (under Sarsaparilla Hall), ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

Physicians' Prescriptions carefully compounded. Orders will receive prompt attention.

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